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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Dirk Lauhoff

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For : AIR VENT

Group Art Unit : 3749

Examiner : H. Joyce

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## **ELECTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 3, 2005, applicant hereby elects the species of Fig. 2. Claims 1, 3, 4 and 5 read on the species of Fig. 2.

An action on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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